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SUBJECT: COUNTRY FINANCED SERVICES/MAJOR PROJECT:
--- ZULIA STEEL MILL
REF: A) STATE 76686
--- B) CARACAS 3517
1. APPRECIATE REFTEL B.
2. IT IS UNCLEAR WHETHER STELCO WILL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AFTER IT COMPLETES FEASIBILITY STUDY. IN THIS REGARD WILL STELCO PERFORM BASIC DESIGN AND DETAILED ENGINEERING OR WILL THERE BE OPEN COMPETITION FOR THIS CONTRACT.
3. ZULIA SEEMS TO BE MOVING RAPIDLY INTO PROJECT PHASES WHERE INVOLVEMENT OF AMERICAN ENGINEERS WILL HAVE MAJOR IMPACT ON FOLLOW-ON U.S. PROCUREMENT. AS PART OF AID FINANCED STEEL CONSULTANTS REPORT ON ZULIA (REFTEL A) WE HAVE ASKED FOR A COMPLETE EVALUATION OF OPPORTUNITIES
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SUPPLIERS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE E/C SECTION ASSISTANCE
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IN PREPARATION OF THIS REPORT SINCE THIS INFORMATION
WILL BE MAIN DETERMINANT IN HOW THE USG CAN BEST
ASSIST INDUSTRY. IN ADDITION SINCE TIME IS OF THE
ESSENCE WE REQUEST EMBASSY GIVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR
STEEL CONSULTANTS VISIT TIMELY ATTENTION SO THAT HE
CAN ARRIVE IN CARACAS AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE. ROBINSON

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